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CAPTURING, MATCHING AND  
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GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS  
NETWORK

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 15, 2006, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

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**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.